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Just fyi from Brent's end of day. I imagine you are already in the loop in on this...

**Sen. John McCain (R-AZ):** Brent Maier received some follow up questions from Nick Matiella in the Senator's DC Office regarding Rosemont Mine Project. Nick Matiella noted in his inquiry that on November 23rd, it was reported in the Arizona press that EPA has determined that Rosemont's proposed 404 mitigation activities would be insufficient. Nick is interested in learning what are the next steps for Rosemont if they want to rebut or provide additional information to EPA and U.S. ACOE and is asking us to lay out the timing of how this would work. Awaiting guidance from Kelly Zito as to how best to respond to Nick Matiella.

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